

THE TOBACCO MARKETS.

Mr. John T. Collins, the capable manager of the Bourbon Tobacco Warehouse Company's two loose leaf sales warehouses, is in receipt of communications from the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, The American Tobacco Company and the J. P. Taylor Tobacco Company, in which each of the "Big Three" announce that they will have their buyers on the market at the first sale in Paris on Monday, Dec. 30.

This announcement will be good news to the many tobacco growers in Bourbon and surrounding counties, and it is expected that the prices paid for loose leaf tobacco will be materially increased when the full buying forces are on the local breaks. BOURBON WAREHOUSE—FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20.

The Bourbon Tobacco Warehouse Company has sold to date a total of 164,415 pounds of tobacco for \$50,923.31, an average of \$30.97 per hundred pounds.

At the sales Friday, a total of 34,395 pounds of tobacco was sold for an average of \$34.43. The sale yesterday was considered about the best held this season, and the growers seemed well satisfied with the prices paid them for their offerings. The following crop averages were reported:

Matt Long & Bro., sold 780 pounds for \$314.40, average \$40.30.

George Johnson sold 745 pounds for \$225.76, average \$30.30.

J. M. Thomas sold 360 pounds for \$218.18, average \$22.82.

Isgrig & Jones sold 1,455 pounds for \$443.74, average \$30.49.

Thompson & Morgan sold 3,320 pounds for \$1,214.09, average \$36.56.

Henry Brown sold 1,100 pounds for \$336.76, average \$30.61.

Ralls & Parker sold 4,340 pounds for \$1,519, average \$35.

Fluty & Webber sold 3,215 pounds for \$1,237.52, average \$38.49.

Wiggins & Clever sold 2,775 pounds for \$747.43, average \$26.90.

W. S. Deering sold 1,645 pounds for \$675.55, average \$41.67.

N. G. Herrington sold 1,560 pounds for \$510.17, average \$32.76.

Colliver & Toadvine sold 3,850 pounds for \$1,569.09, average \$40.75.

The next sale will be held at the Bourbon Tobacco Warehouse Company's Paris House, on Monday, December 30.

INDEPENDENT WAREHOUSE—FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20.

The Independent Tobacco Warehouse Company sold Friday, 32,915 pounds of tobacco for an average of \$30.15 per hundred pounds.

The total sales for the week ending Dec. 20, were 162,290 pounds for an average of \$30.29 per hundred pounds.

At the sales yesterday, the following crop averages were reported:

Glenn & Booth sold 4,075 pounds, average, \$31.32.

Thomas & Hall sold 1,595 pounds, average \$39.39.

W. R. Tuttle sold 1,475 pounds, average, \$33.11.

Joe Nichols sold 410 pounds, average, \$43.35.

Frank Nichols sold 1,095 pounds, average, \$35.73.

Richie & Derickson sold 1,840 pounds, average \$33.26.

Ritchie & Mollie Derickson sold 455 pounds, average, \$31.59.

Leggett & Sanders sold 4,030 pounds, average, \$34.14.

Ardery & Brady sold 1,480 pounds, average, \$41.62.

Redmon & Ritchie sold 3,160 pounds, average, \$38.61.

Peterson & Smith sold 1,450 pounds, average, \$30.59.

CHRISTMAS GOODIES.

Come to the Red Front Grocery, opposite the court house to buy your Christmas candies, nuts and fruits, and get fresh goods at the lowest prices. MRS. ELLIS' CASH-AND-CARRY-GROCERY.

PARIS PEOPLE SEND BOOKS TO LEXINGTON LIBRARY

The Lexington Leader says: "The Lexington Public Library has received another consignment of 500 useful books from the patriotic people of Paris, Ky., which will be forwarded to the various war camps and cantonments for the use of the soldiers who are still in the service. Miss Dillard, the librarian, desires thus to make public acknowledgment of the receipt of these volumes."

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RESOLUTIONS

Adopted by Imperial Encampment No. 68, I. O. O. F., Paris, Kentucky, December 18, 1918, upon the death of our Brother and Companion, Capt. Reuben B. Hutchcraft, Jr.

"There is a tear for all who die, A mourner o'er the humblest grave, But nations swell the funeral cry, And triumph weeps above the brave."

Whereas, we the members of this Encampment, have learned with profound sorrow of the death of our friend and brother Captain Reuben B. Hutchcraft, Jr., upon the battle field of France.

Be it resolved, That brother Hutchcraft, by his bright and genial disposition, his fraternal and courteous bearing not only in the lodge room but in the walks of every day life, has endeared himself to each and every member of this Encampment.

Be it further resolved; That in the death of Companion Captain Hutchcraft, the Nation has lost a true patriot and a brave and valiant soldier; the State an able and upright public servant; the community a model citizen; this Encampment a faithful and zealous member; his family a devoted son and loving brother.

Be it further resolved; That we extend to his family our deepest sympathy, in this hour of their great sorrow, and in token of our esteem and affection for him, and of our deep sense of the personal loss to each and every member of this Encampment, we dedicate a page of our records to his memory, and direct that these resolutions be inscribed thereon and a copy of same be sent to his family, and one copy be printed in the local newspaper. All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAN SMITS,
G. B. MINTER,
A. L. SLICER,
Committee.

RESOLUTIONS OF BOURBON LODGE, I. O. O. F., IN MEMORIAM CAPT REUBEN B. HUTCHCRAFT.

At a meeting of Bourbon Lodge, No. 23, I. O. O. F., held Monday night, resolutions as follows were adopted on the death of Capt. Reuben Hutchcraft, who recently lost his life at the front in France, on Nov. 6, 1918:

WHEREAS, It has pleased our Heavenly Father to take from us by death our beloved brother, Capt. Reuben Hutchcraft, in the prime and vigor of manhood, and midst of a useful and honorable career;

Therefore, be it Resolved, First, That we bow with humble submission to this mysterious dispensation of an all wise and kind Providence, remembering that He doeth all things well.

Second, That in the death of Capt. Hutchcraft, his family has lost a faithful, affectionate and devoted son and brother; the State an honorable and useful and upright citizen; this community an able and much beloved lawyer and citizen; and this lodge a true and devoted member.

Third, That this lodge tender its deepest sympathy to his afflicted family in their bereavement, and that the Secretary of this lodge be instructed to present them a copy of these resolutions and that also the same to be published in the Kentuckian-Citizen; that a page in our minute book be used for the purpose of spreading same in our records. Respectfully submitted and signed by your committee.

E. B. JANUARY,
WM. A. LAIL,
FRANK M. FARIES.

IF YOU ARE OUT SHOPPING A TIP TO REMEMBER.

The A. J. Winters Co., your headquarters for holiday gifts. (x)

MARGOLEN'S SPECIALS FOR TWO WEEKS—READ OVER THE BARGAINS.

If you want to save money on staple groceries read over this list that Margolen's Meat Market offers as specials for two weeks:

2 lb.-can tomatoes, 2 for 25 cents.
3 pound-can of tomatoes, 20 cents.
Best grade of corn, 15 cents.
"Sale" Soap, per cake, 5 cents.
Lenox Soap, per cake, 5 cents.
Rolled Oats, per pound, 10 cents.
Best Matches, per box, 5 cents.
Best high-grade Coffee, per pound 25 cents.
Prunes, per pound, 15 cents.
Best grade of Flour, 24-pound sack, \$1.60.
Canned Soup, per can, 10 cents.

MARGOLEN'S SANITARY MEAT MARKET. (17-41)

B-4 FIRE

Insure with W.O. HINTON & SON, Agts

HANDSOME "HELMCREST" HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE.

"Helmcrest," home of W. T. Schnauffer, prominent lumber man of Lexington, two miles and a half on the Maysville pike, was totally destroyed when a fire originating from a defective furnace gutted the building. The loss is estimated at \$39,000 which is partially covered by insurance.

Helmcrest, the former home of Mrs. Jennie Hanson Helm, was one of the most beautiful homes in that section of the State, being on a small hill about a quarter of a mile from the Maysville pike. The home was purchased from Mrs. Helm by Mr. Schnauffer about two years ago.

The home was made entirely of stone and the flames eating their way through the floors gutted the building in a short time. The furnishings of the house which will run into thousands were a total loss as the flames made such rapid headway that none could be saved.

Fire, Wind and Lightning Insurance.
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Comings and Goings of Our People Here, There and Elsewhere.

—Miss Juliet Turner is at home from Hamilton College, at Lexington, for the holidays.

—Mr. Gus Christman is visiting his sister, Mrs. C. K. Roeder, in Louisville during the Christmas holidays.

—Mr. O. G. Young and Mr. W. E. Shown, Fleming county farmers, are in Bourbon county prospecting for a location.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cleveland and son, Cromwell Cleveland, and daughter, Miss Margaret, have gone to Tampa, Fla., to spend the winter.

—Mrs. Louis Earlywine has arrived from her home in Chicago to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. J. U. Boardman, in this city.

—Mr. Harry Holt, of Bayonne, New Jersey, has arrived in Paris to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Ben Holt, on Mt. Airy avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Butler have gone to Latonia to spend the Christmas holidays with their son, Mr. J. Henry Butler, and Mrs. Butler.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Banta and little daughter, of Indianapolis, are spending the holidays with the former's brother, Mr. J. O. Banta, near Paris.

—Mrs. Lawrence Dickerson, formerly of Paris, is a patient at the Good Samaritan Hospital, in Lexington, where she recently underwent an operation.

—Mrs. N. A. Moore has returned from a visit in Charleston, West Virginia. Mr. and Mrs. Moore will leave soon for Umatilla, Florida, to spend the winter.

—Mr. Edward Spears, son of Mr. and Mrs. Woodford Spears, of this city, is a patient in the St. Joseph's Hospital, in Lexington, where he was operated on a few days ago for appendicitis. Mr. Spears is getting along very nicely.

—County School Superintendent J. B. Caywood left Saturday night for Garrard county, to be with his uncle, Mr. G. B. Ross, who has been critically ill for several days.

—Mr. Douglas Estill, a prominent young farmer of Franklin county, spent several days in Paris last week, as guests of his aunts, Mrs. Laura Estill Francis and Mrs. Lavinia Estill Chenault Cunningham.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Burley and daughter, Miss Emma Louise Burley, of Paris, and their guest, Private Henry Melloch, of Wyandotte, Mich., were week-end guests of Mrs. Nannie Hall, in Flemingsburg.

—THE NEWS acknowledges receipt of beautifully engraved Christmas greetings from Mr. J. W. Zimmerman, representing the Standard Paper Co., of Cincinnati. "Zim" is personally one of the best-looking traveling men in America, and when he breezes in there is always an air of cheeriness and cordiality irresistible. May his shadow never grow less, (nor his cigars any stronger!)

LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

With the coming of the happy Christmas time the hearts of the tots are filled with longings to interview good old Santa Claus. THE NEWS has received the following letters from little Paris people, indicating their desires to the paragon of childhood:

"Paris, Ky., Dec. 24, 1918.

"DEAR SANTA CLAUS:

"I will write to you as Xmas is almost here and I don't want you to miss me. I am a little boy seven years old. I want you to bring me a hobby horse and a little train with a real engine that will go 'choo choo'."

"Bring my little brother, Reuben, a little red auto with green wheels. Bring us both lots of candy and nuts. Bring papa some hair dye. Be sure and come."

"GRAYDON FLORENCE

"P. S.—Bring papa's dye black, for that is the color he uses."

"Paris, Ky., Route, No. 6,

"December 17, 1918.

"DEAR OLD SANTA:

"As Xmas is drawing near I thought I would write to you so you would not fail to peep down our chimney. I am a little boy eight years old. I would like for you to bring me a little rubber doll and a top and plenty of fireworks and a whole lot of candy and fruits and every thing nice. Bring my little curly-headed brother, Frank, a little red wagon and a little horn and bring my little brother, Andy, a toy fiddle and a cross-eyed doll. Bring my dear old papa a wig and please don't tell anybody, for he don't want them to know he is baldheaded. Now Santa, don't forget us. Bye, Bye,

"LEO KERN."

OLD SANTA'S HEADQUARTERS

Old Santa Claus has made his headquarters at our store and has brought everything here to delight the children—let the little folks take a look. Wagons, Autos, Sleds, Sporting Goods, Rifles, Irish Mail, Drums, Skates, etc.; useful gifts, too, such as Robes, Foot Warmers, Heaters, Ranges, Buggy Robes, Guns, Ammunition, Flash Lights, etc.

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(x) PARIS BOOK STORE.

WAR SAVINGS STAMPS OF 1919 ISSUE HERE.

Postmaster J. Walter Payne has received a consignment of the 1919 series of War Savings Stamps, which will not, however, be put on sale until further instructions from the Postmaster-General, which are expected to arrive before January 1. The stamps are smaller than the 1918 series, and will be sold on the same terms. Mr. Payne says that the Government is urging the people to keep their stamps until maturity in order to feed and clothe our armies, and to buy more, rather than embarrass the Government by redeeming them when no preparation has been made to cash them for four years.

FEEL LIKE GIVING UP?

Many Paris People On the Verge of Collapse.

A bad back makes you miserable all the time—Lame every morning; sore all day. It hurts to stoop—it hurts to straighten.

What with headache, dizzy spells, urinary weakness.

No wonder people are discouraged. Who do not know the kidneys may be the cause of it all.

Give the weakened kidneys needed help. Use a tested and proven kidney remedy.

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Mrs. John Mastin, 1439 High St., Paris, says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills with good results and I know from the help they gave me that they would be just as beneficial in other cases of kidney trouble."

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Mrs. Mastin is only one of many Paris people who have gratefully endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills. If your back aches, if your kidneys bother you, don't simply ask for a kidney remedy, ask distinctly for Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mrs. Mastin had—the remedy backed by home testimony. 60 cents at all drug stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. "When Your Back is Lame, Remember the Name."

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KENTUCKY ARTILLERYMEN ON WAY HOME.

Returning home on the transport George Washington, which sailed from France, December 15, the War Department has announced are the 139th Field Artillery, Batteries A, B, D and E, and Headquarters Company of the 137th Field Artillery, thirty-five officers of the 138th Field Artillery, and a number of casuals.

The 137th and 139th Field Artillery Regiments of the 38th Division, which are scheduled to arrive in New York within a few days on the George Washington, the liner which carried President Wilson to France, contain many Kentuckians. Numbers of the men in the 139th Regiment are from Eastern and Central Kentucky, trained at Camp Zachary Taylor.

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